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Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the (x) utility,  
( ) design, ( ) plant patent application of:

INVENTORS: Yuhko NISHIMOTO and Kazuo MAEDA

FOR: STRESS-ADJUSTED INSULATING FILM FORMING METHOD,  
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING  
THE SAME

Enclosed are:

(X) 26 pages of specification

(X) Abstract

(X) Oath or Declaration

(X) Power of Attorney

12 Sheets of (X) formal ( ) informal drawings. (3 copies)

(X) An assignment of the application to: CANON SALES CO., INC. AND SEMICONDUCTOR PROCESS LABORATORY CO., LTD.

( ) Preliminary Amendment

( ) Information Disclosure Statement

( ) Associate Power of Attorney

( ) Verified Statement Under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27

( ) Change of Address

(X) Assignment Cover Sheet

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Basic Fee	Number Filed	Number Extra	Large Entity	Small Entity	Amount
Utility	XXXXX	XXXX	\$770.00	\$385.00	\$ 770.00
Design	XXXXX	XXXX	\$320.00	\$160.00	
Plant	XXXXX	XXXX	\$530.00	\$265.00	
TOTAL CLAIMS	20-20=	0	X\$22.00	X\$11.00	
Independent Claims	3-3=	0	X\$80.00	X\$40.00	
Multiple Dependency			\$260.00	\$130.00	
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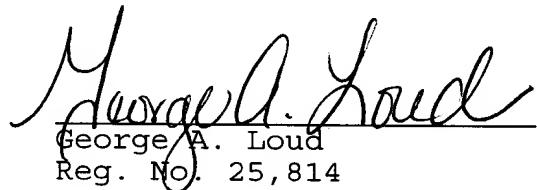
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( ) The Issue Fee set in 37 CFR 1.18 at or before mailing of the Notice of Allowance, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.311(b).

(X) Priority is claimed under 35 USC 119 based on the following:

<u>Serial No.</u>	<u>Date Filed</u>	<u>Country</u>
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